Using Google Earth and Google SketchUp to Model in 3D

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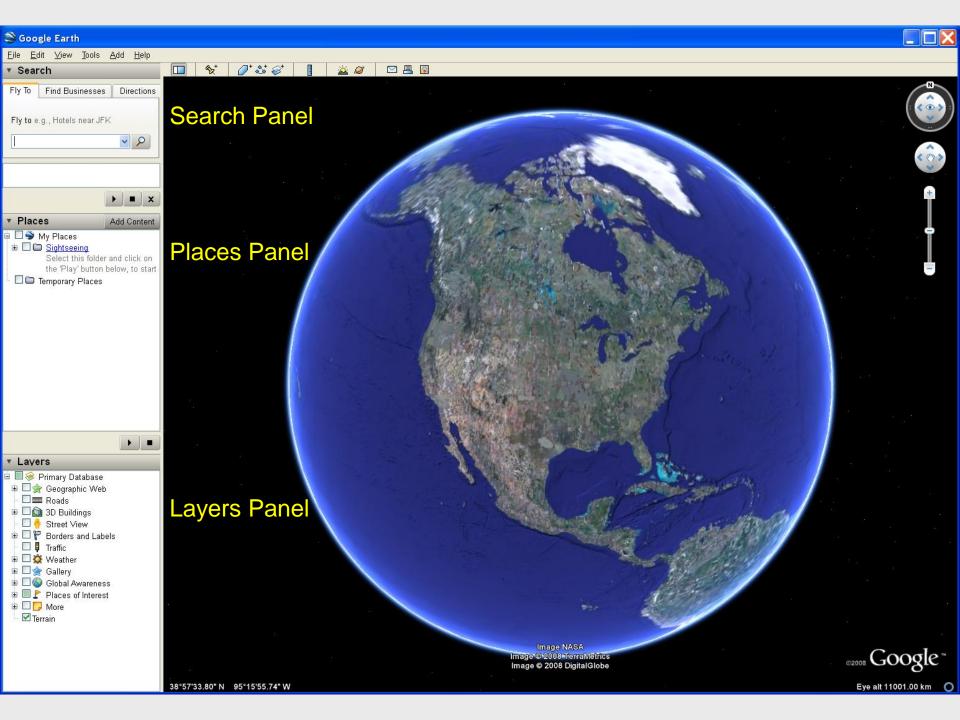




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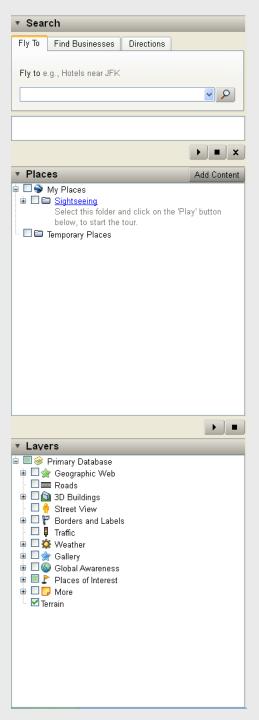
Pricing

- Google Earth Free for noncommerical use
 - License we are using today
- Google Earth Pro \$400 / year
 - GE Pro permits the importation of georeferenced imagery in certain formats using GIS data import tool (e.g. geotiff)
 - Movie Making, High Quality Printing, measure areas



Google Earth Sidebar

Turned Off Under View Menu

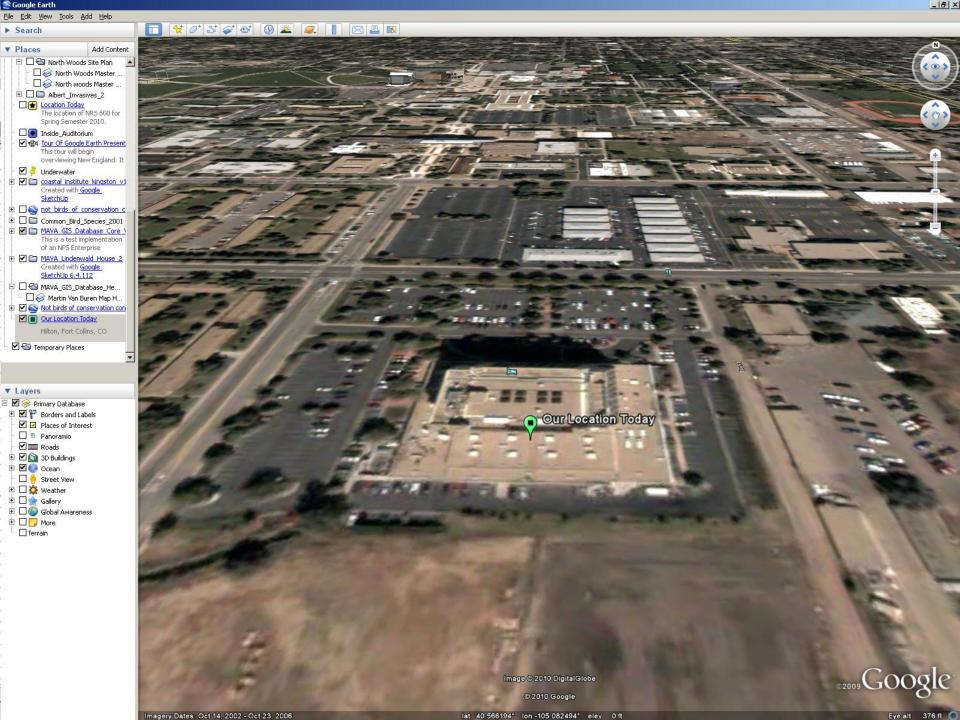


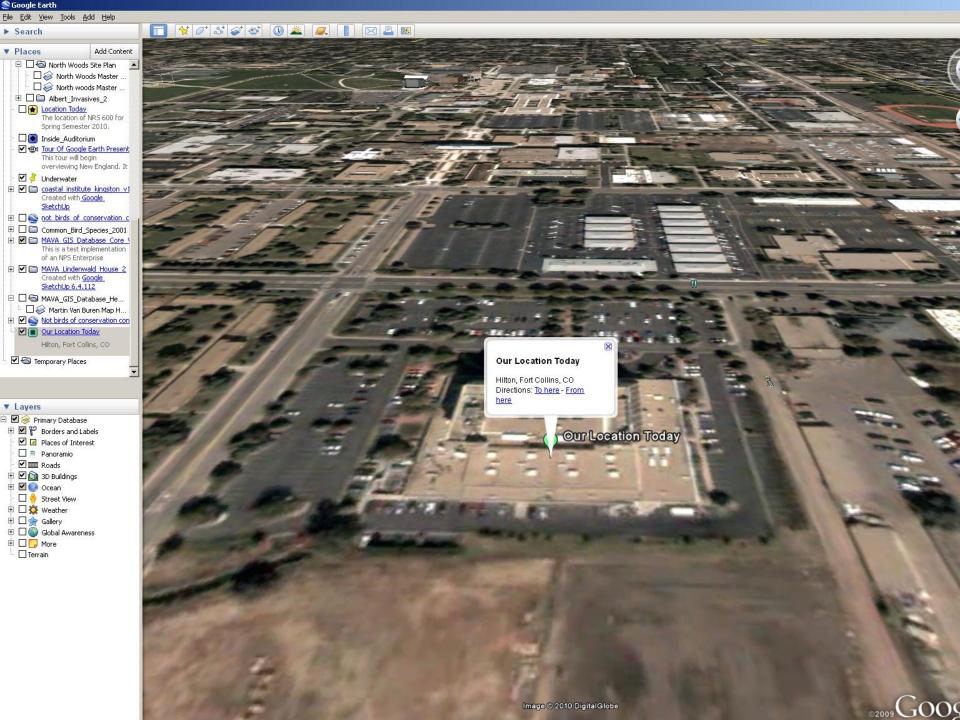
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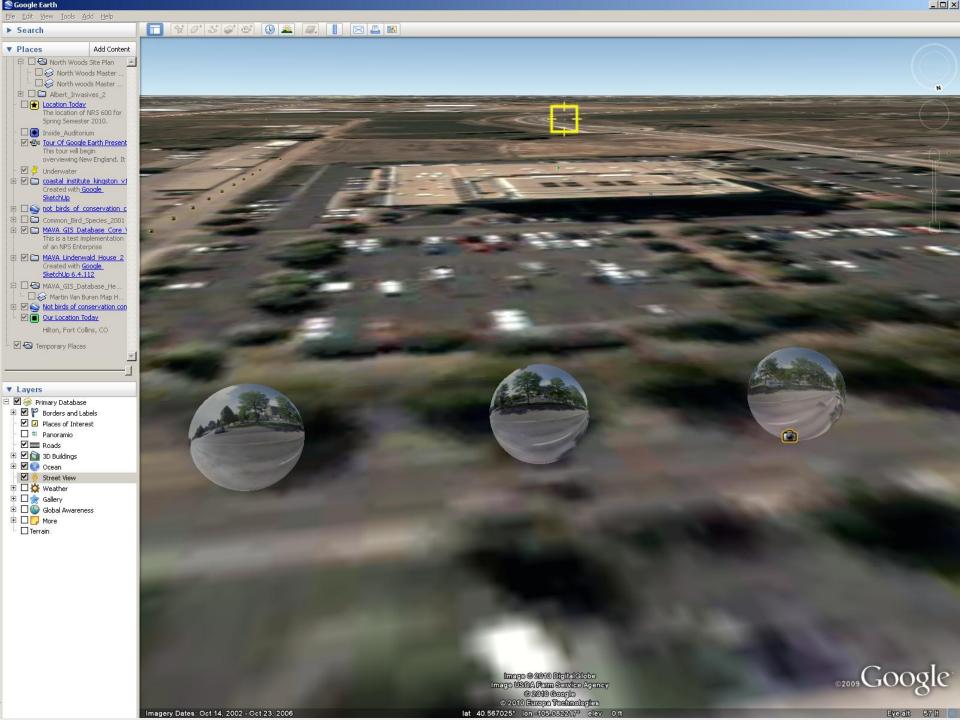
- (2), Find a business,
- (3) Get really cool driving directions.

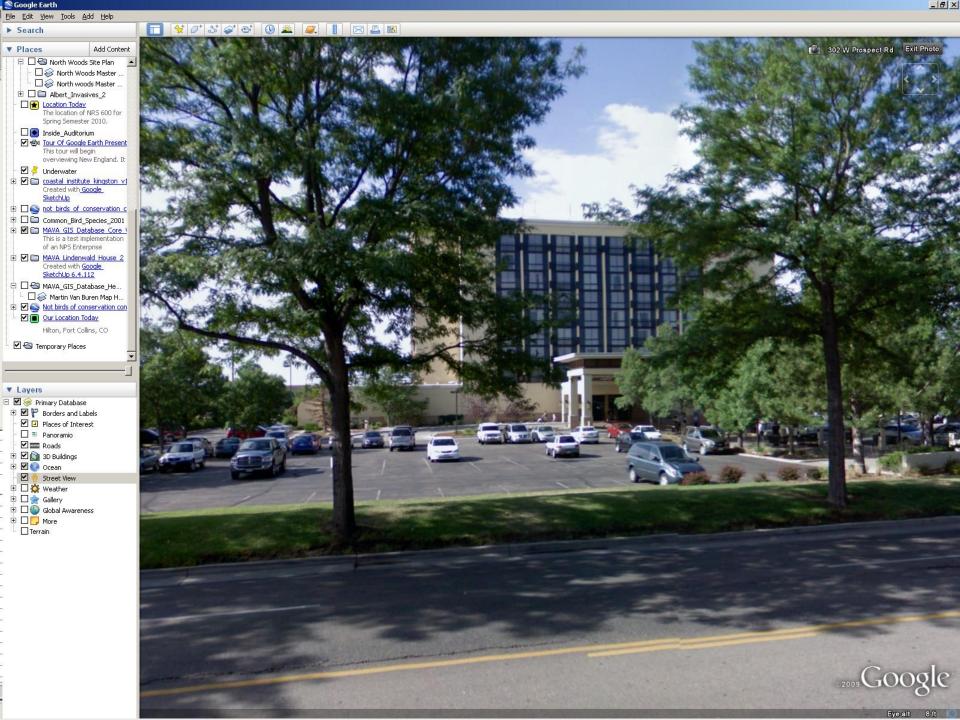
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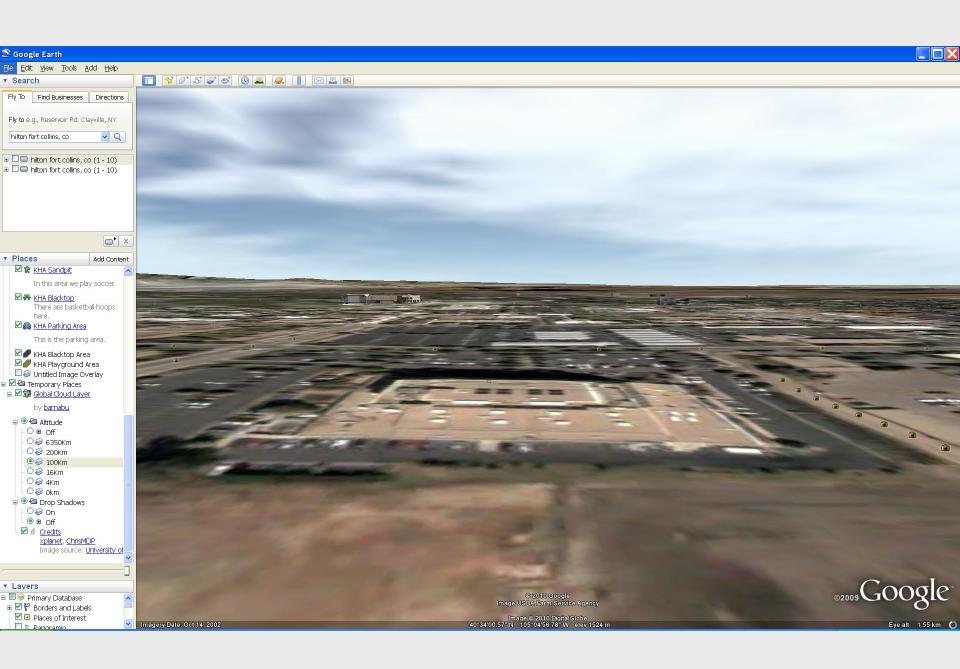
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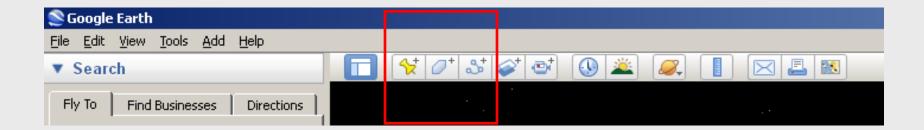




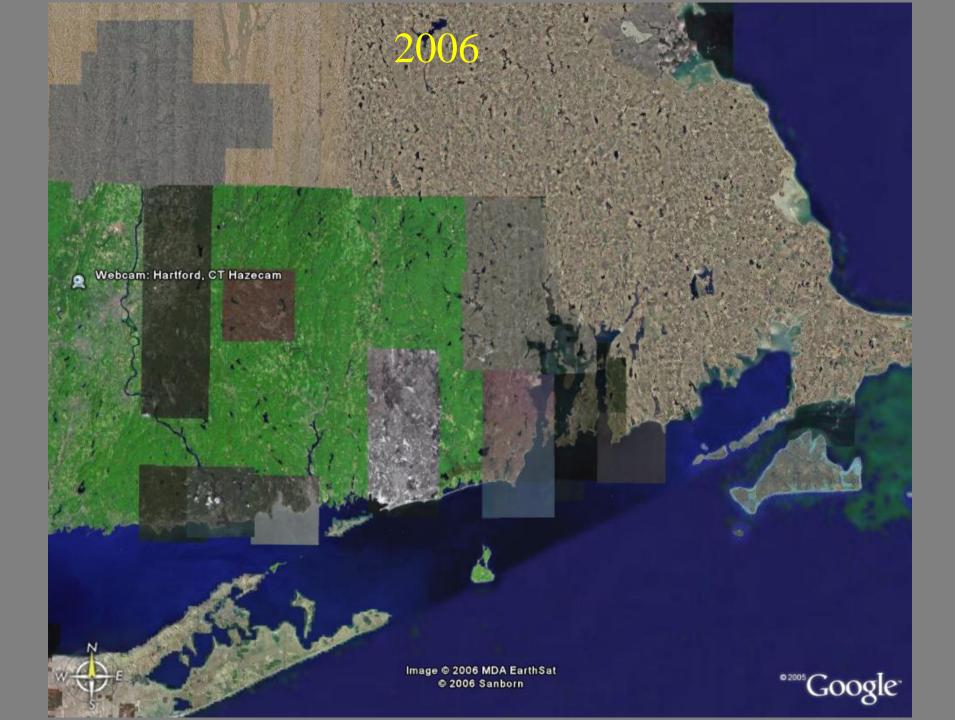


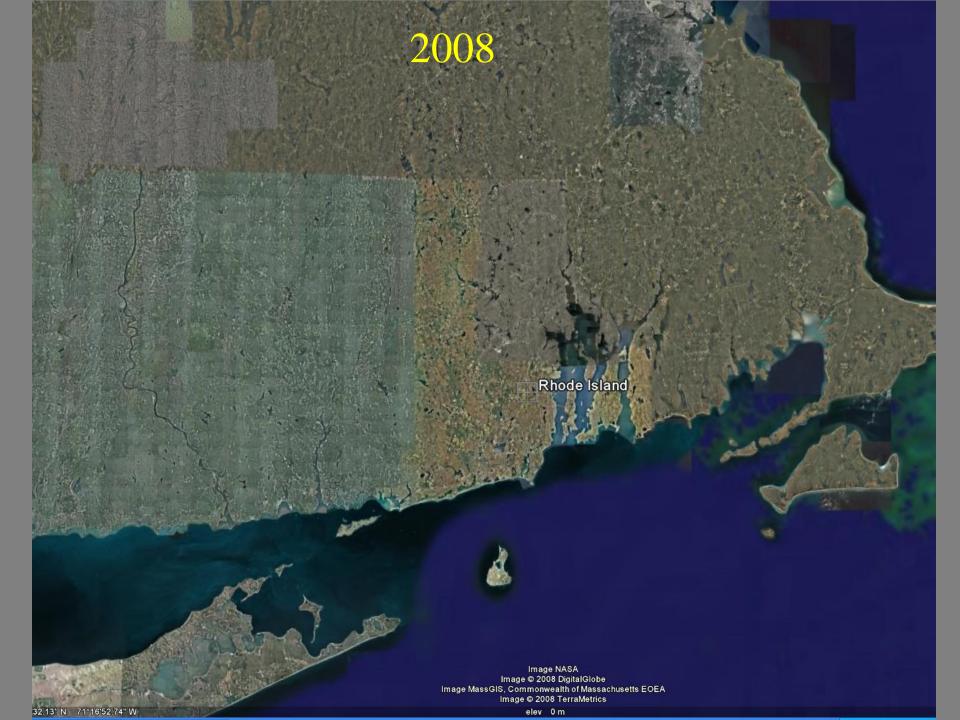


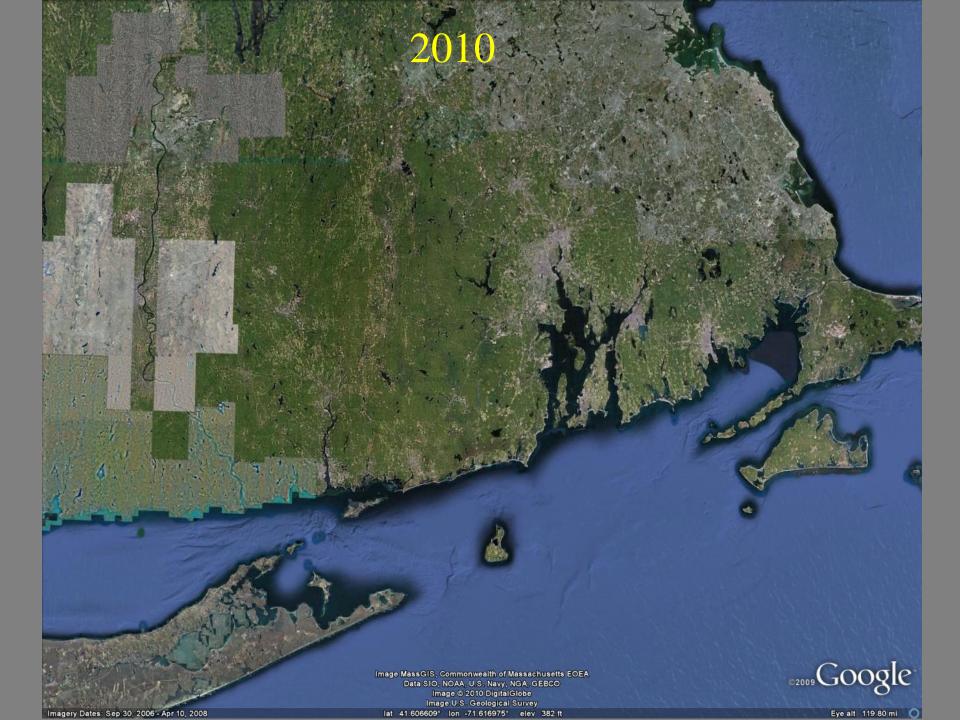
Create Points, Polygons, Lines



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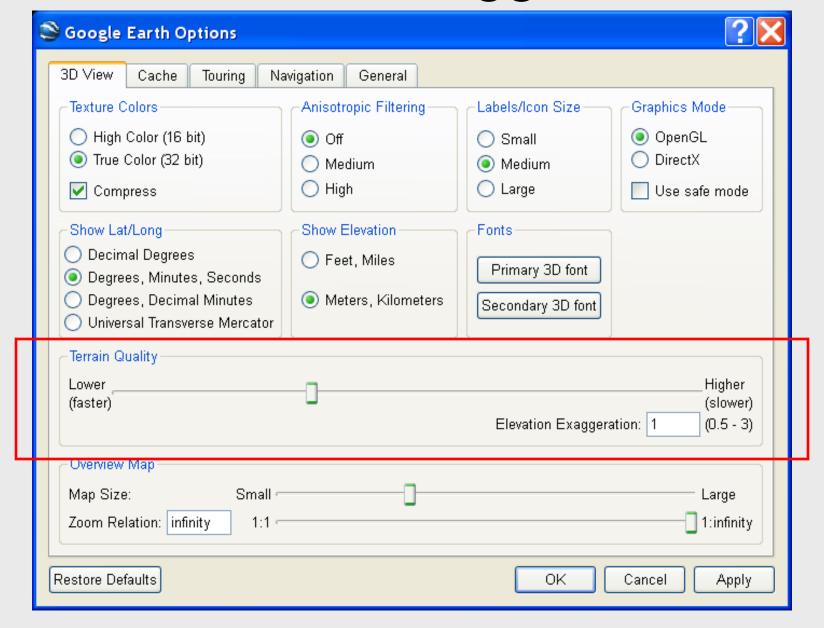
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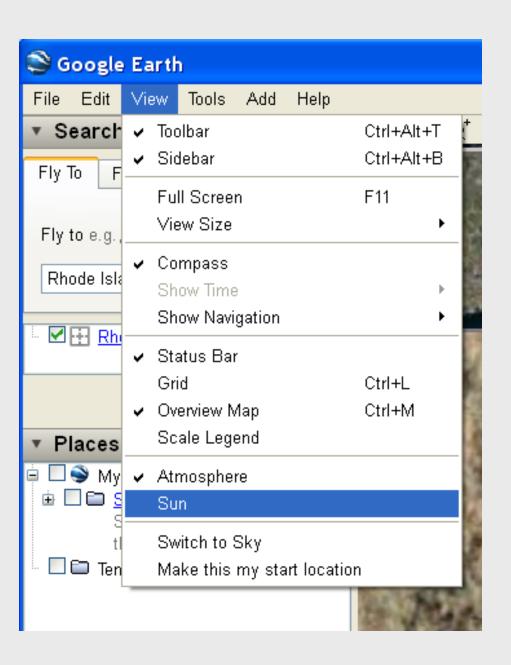


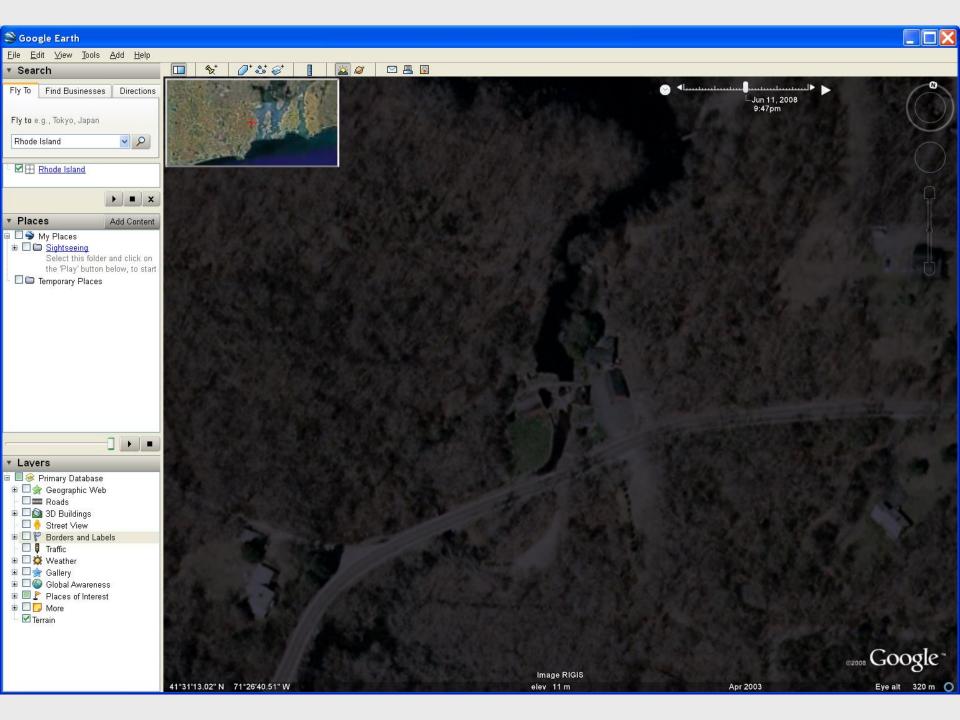
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Elevation Exaggeration

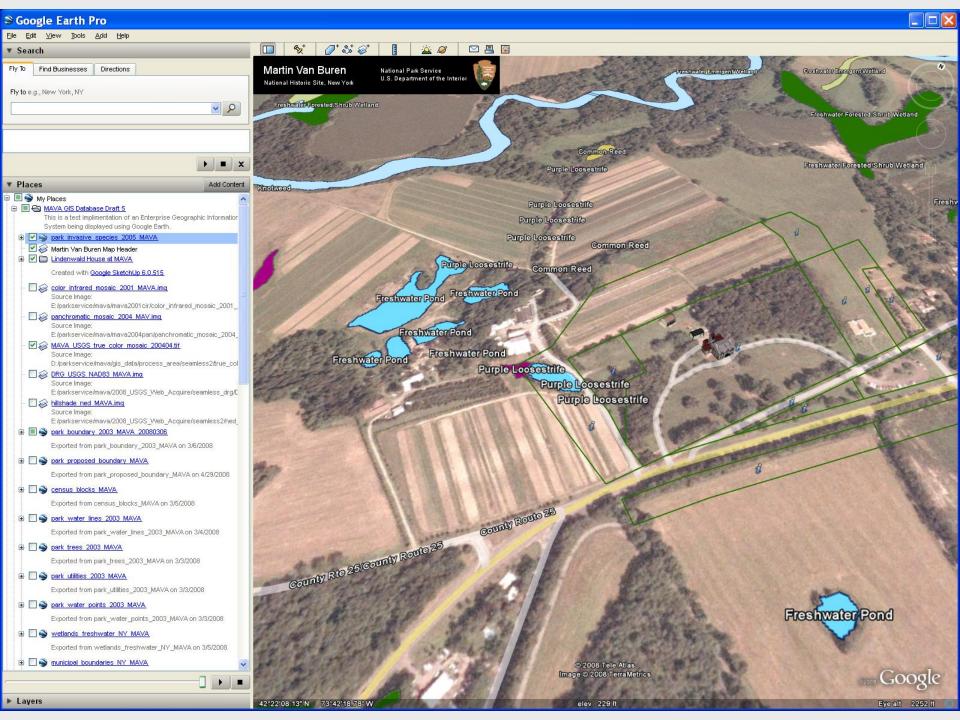


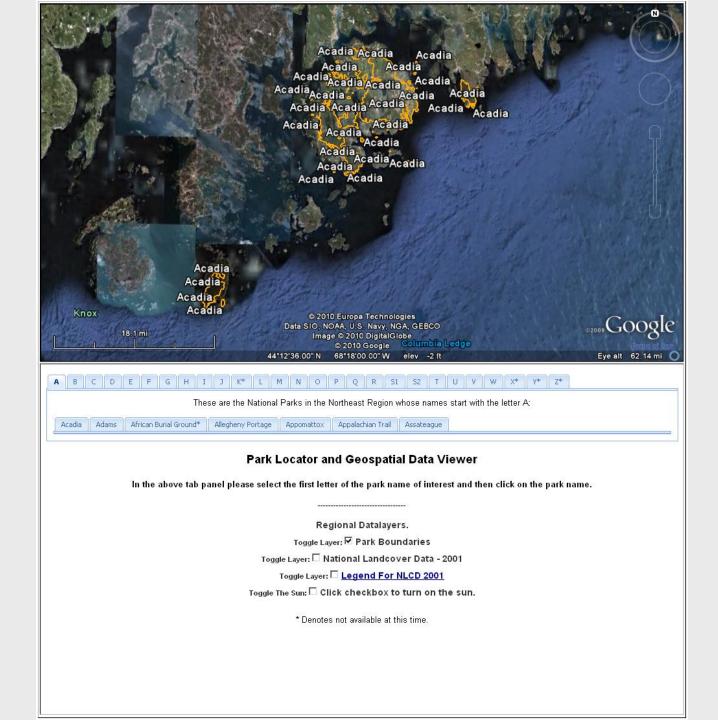


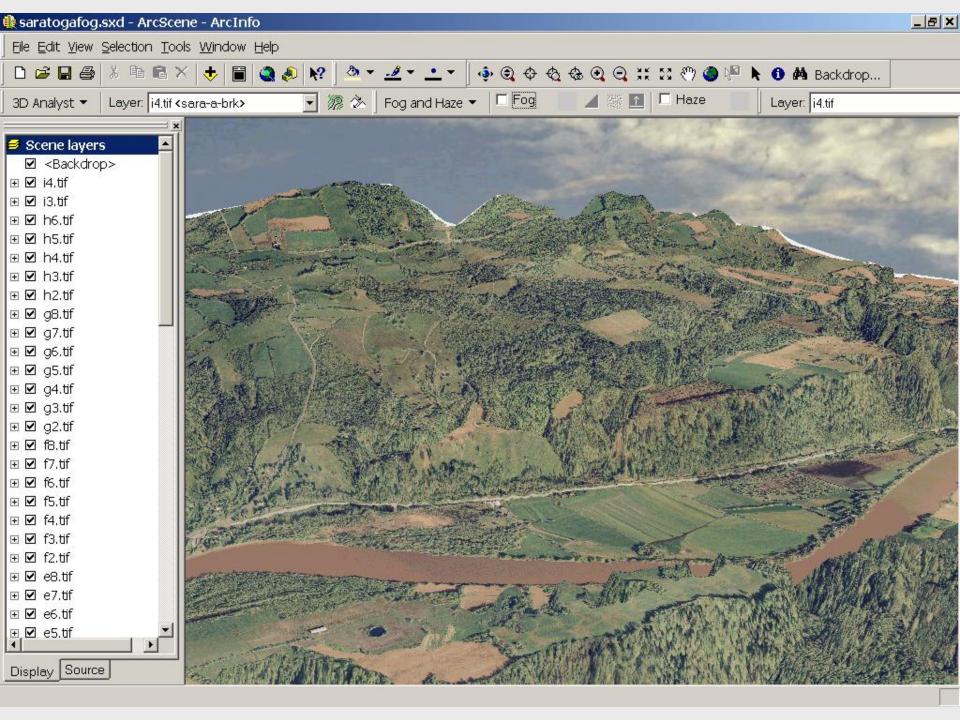


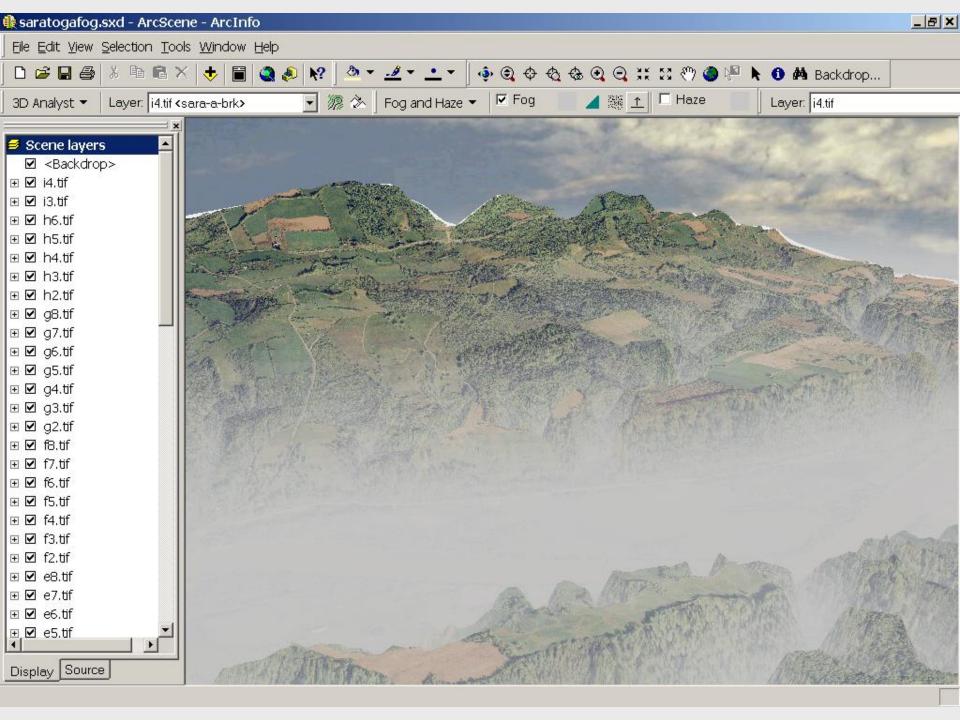
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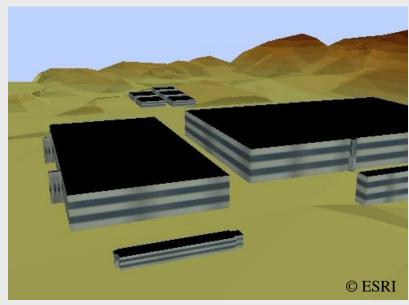
Other 3D Visualization

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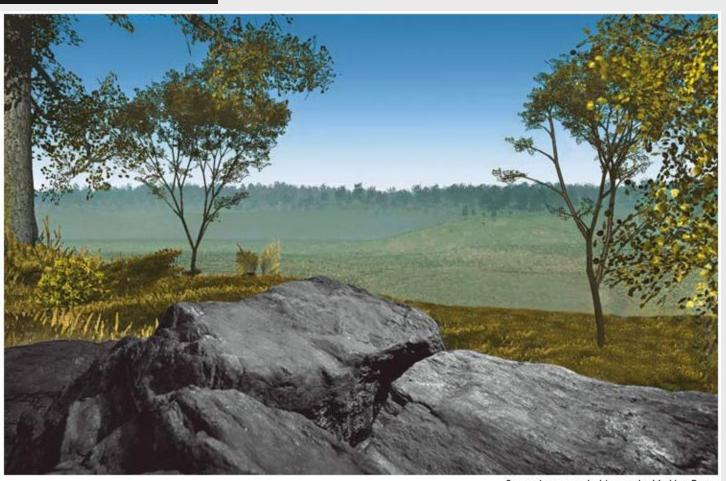


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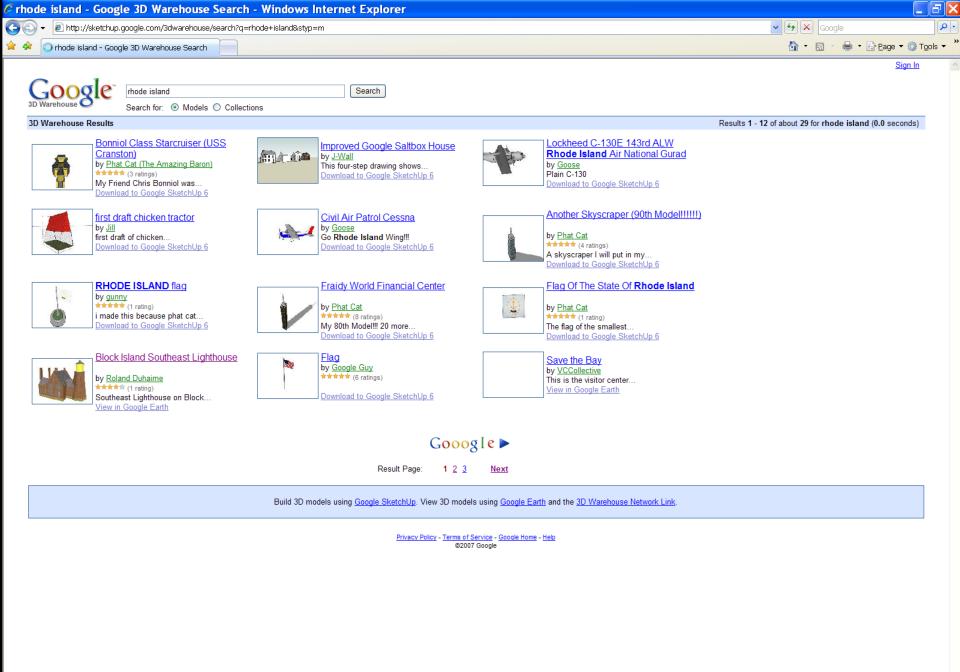
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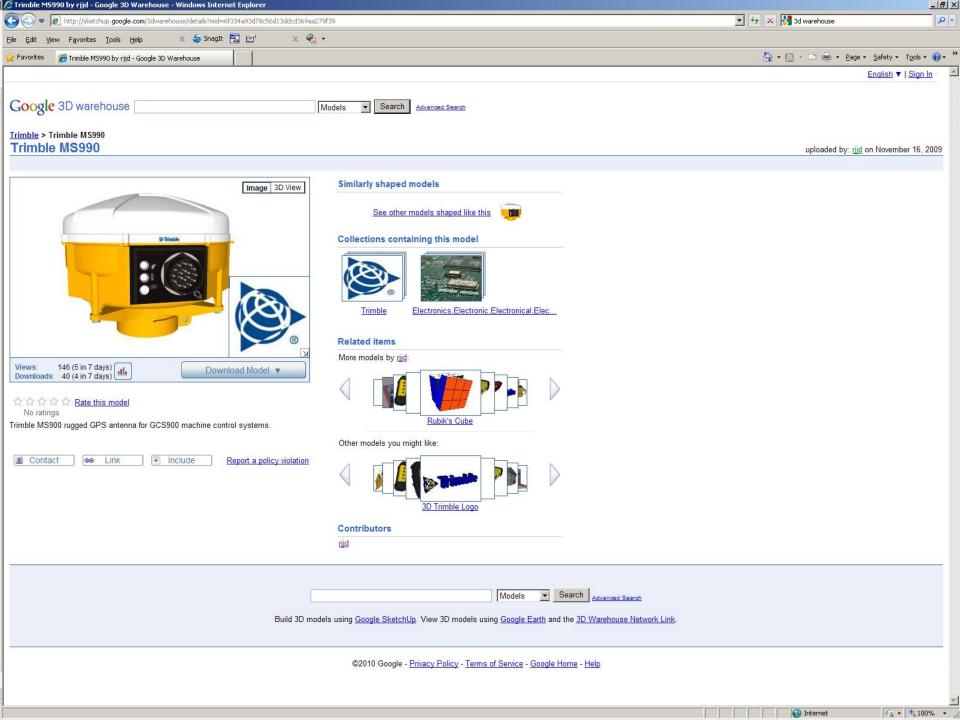
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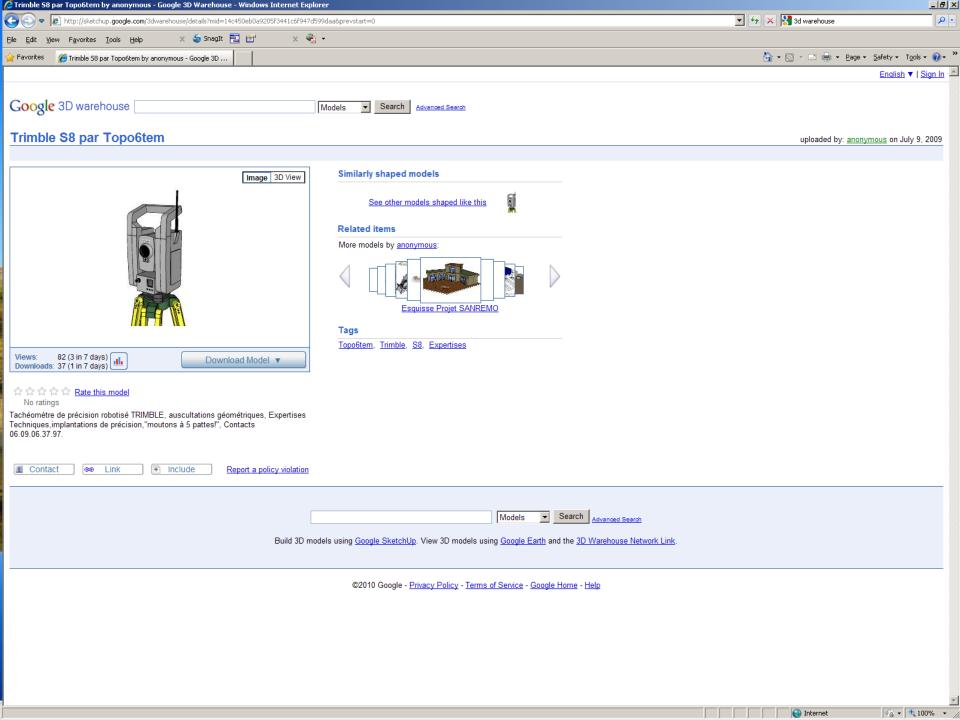
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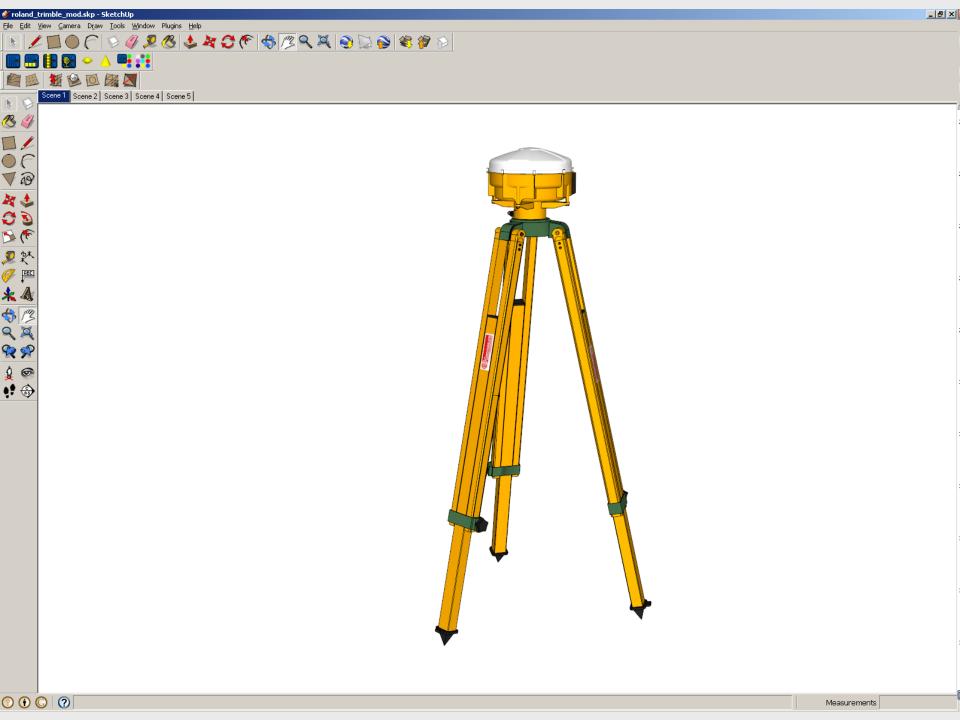


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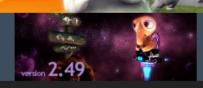
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Development

Blender

model - shade - animate - render - composite - interactive 3d

Blender is the free open source 3D content creation suite, available for all major operating systems under the GNU General Public License.





News Headlines ■

from Blender Nation

- Beorn Leonard joins Durian March 1, 2010
- Blender UserDay 2010 in Graz, Austria
 March 1, 2010
- Old Postcard March 1, 2010
- 'Freddie'
 February 28, 2010
- Croatian Users & TOSMI presenting Bassam Kurdali
 February 27, 2010
- The Process Diary Poly-Modeling a Human Figure (Part 4) February 26, 2010
- Interview: Jason van Gumster February 26, 2010
- Blender added to Ubuntu's 'Featured Apps'
 February 25, 2010
- RoboThespian
 February 25, 2010
- More...

Announcements

Blender Foundation Official Updates

- Blender 2.5 Alpha 1 released
 February 19, 2010
 Eagerly awaiting the first real beta release, we've published another alpha test build to ensure bug reporters have a good reference.
- New training DVD: Open source painting course
 February 18, 2010

David Revoy, art director of project Durian, will publish his digital painting course "Chaos and Evolutions" mid march.

 Blender 2.5 Alpha 0 released November 24, 2009

The first of the 2.5 series is now available for test! It's mostly meant as a reference for reporting and feedback, but packed with new features too.

• Blender Conference: videos November 19, 2009

You can now view recordings of the talks on the Balie website.

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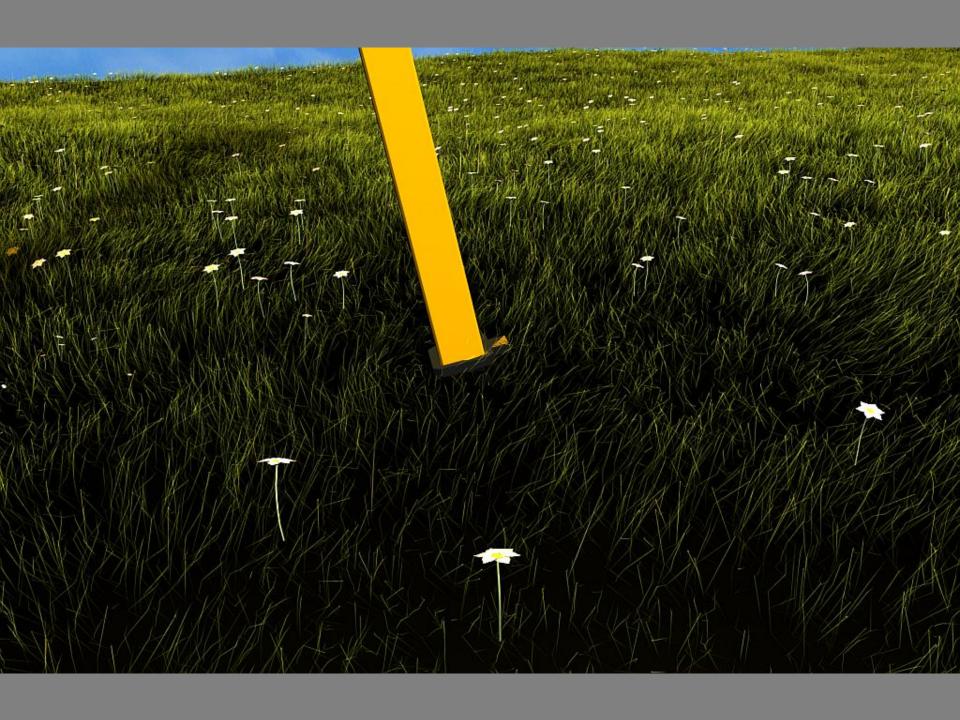
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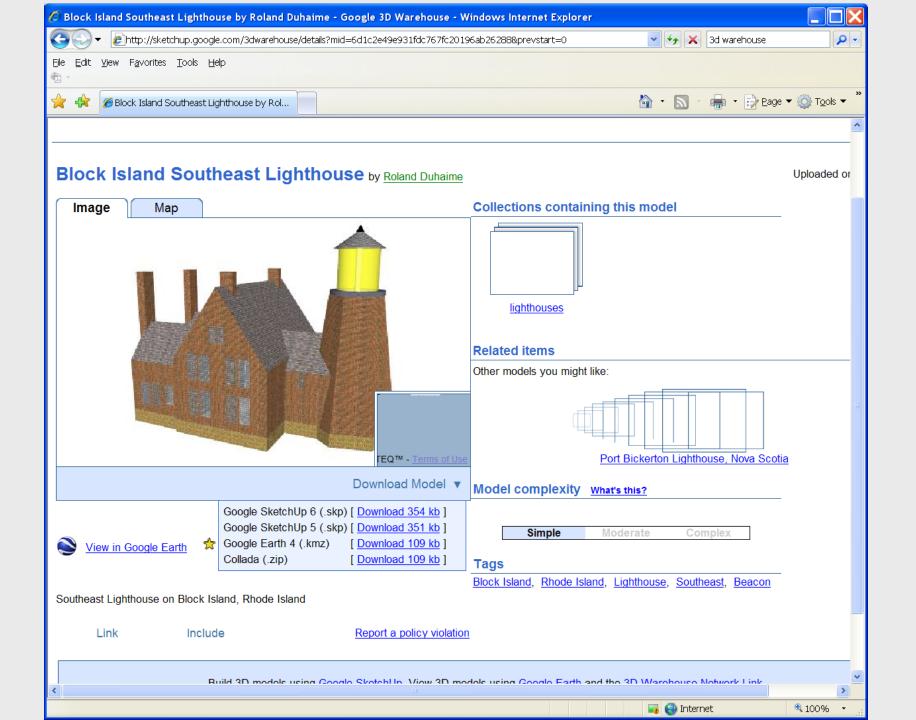
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- Integration with modeler(s)
- Improved user interface
- Faster rendering
- More options for rendering
- Improved render quality
- Support and help
- Better site and forum

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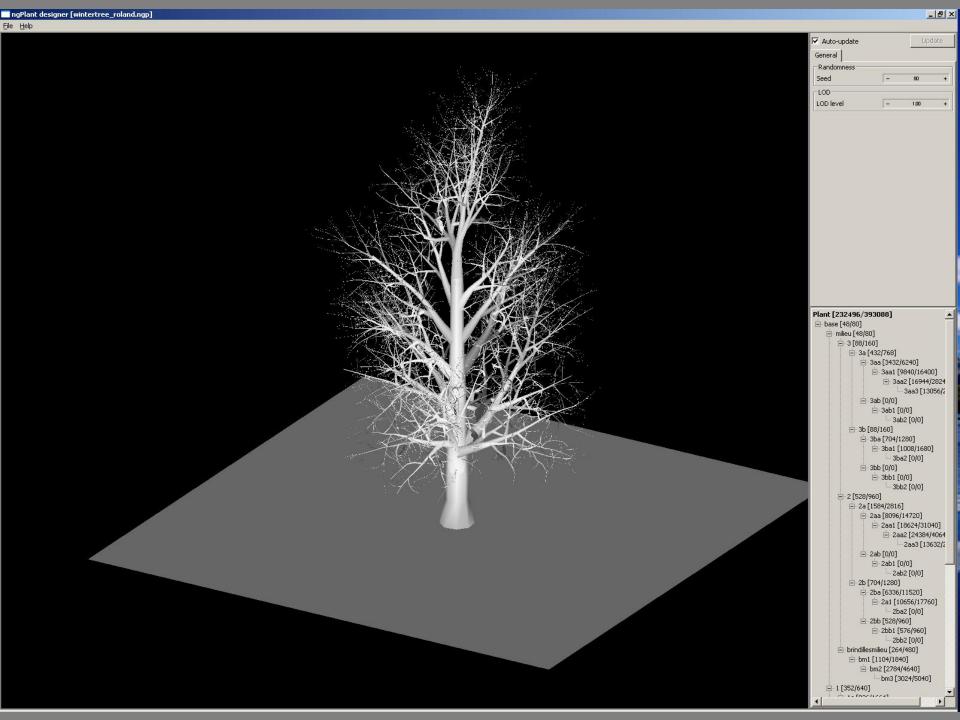


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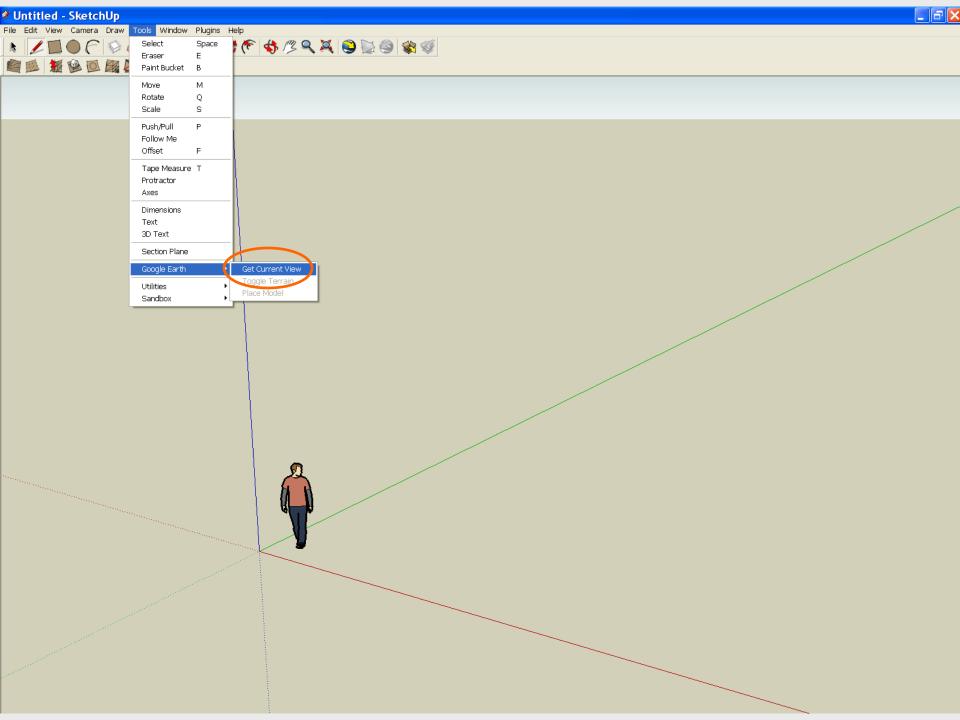


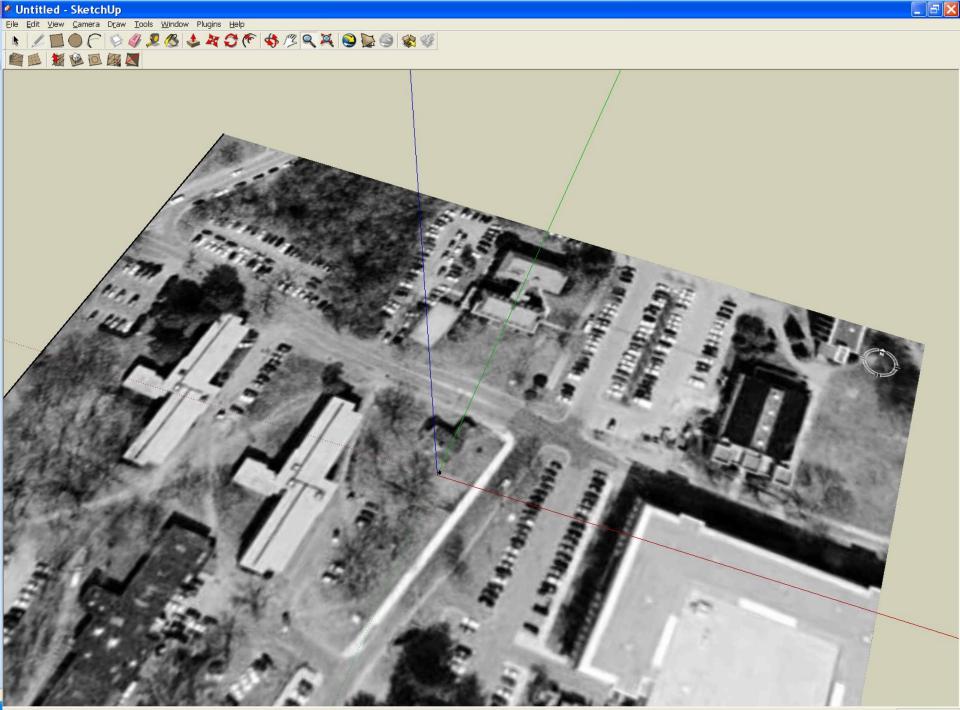


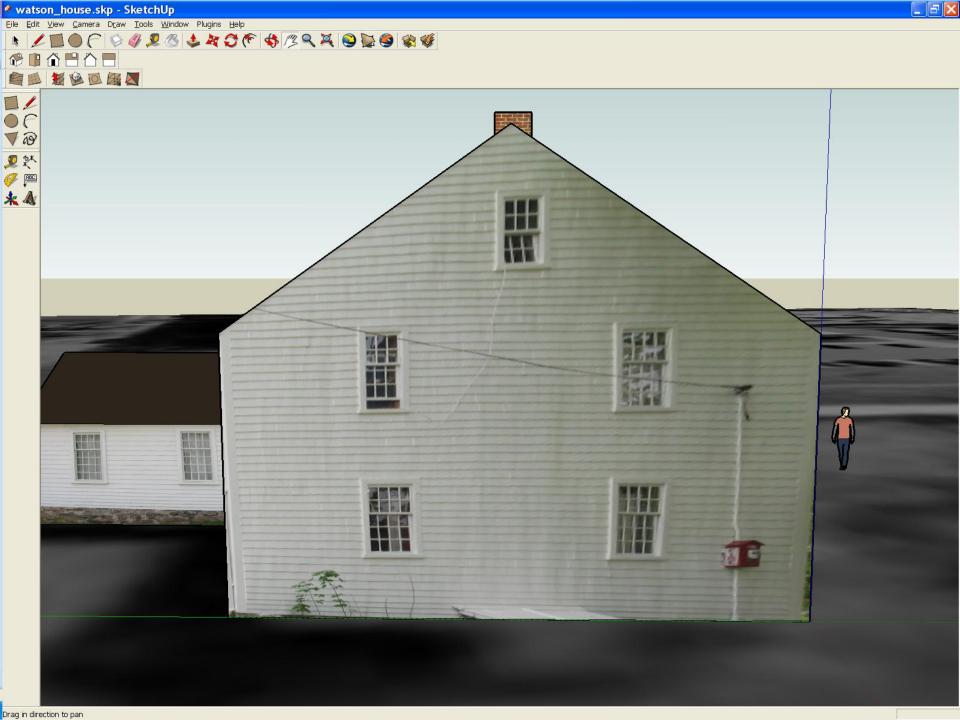


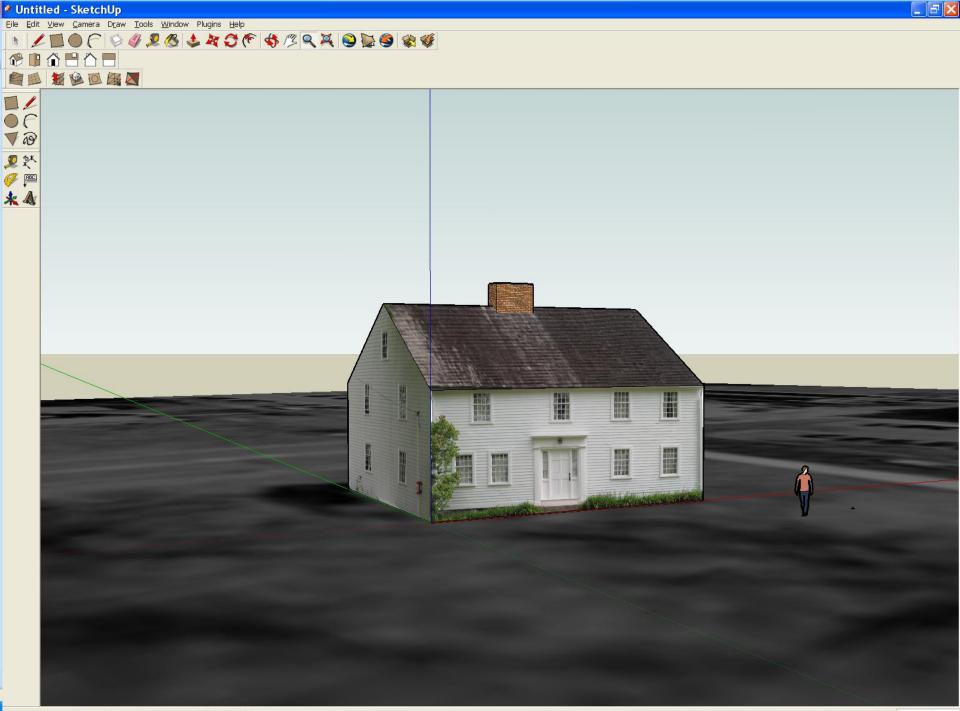


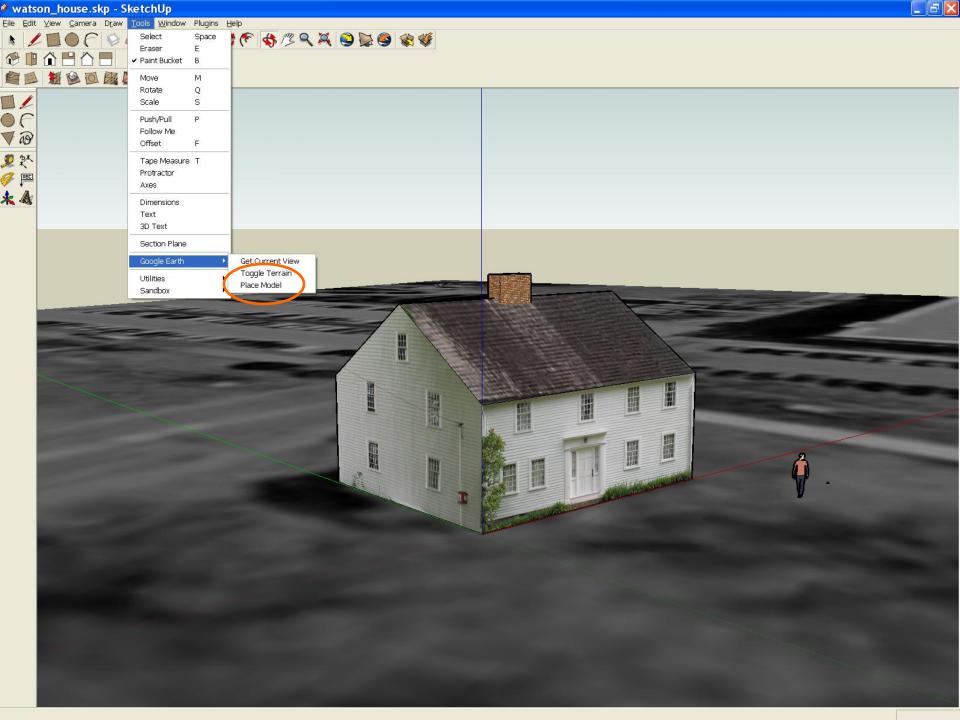


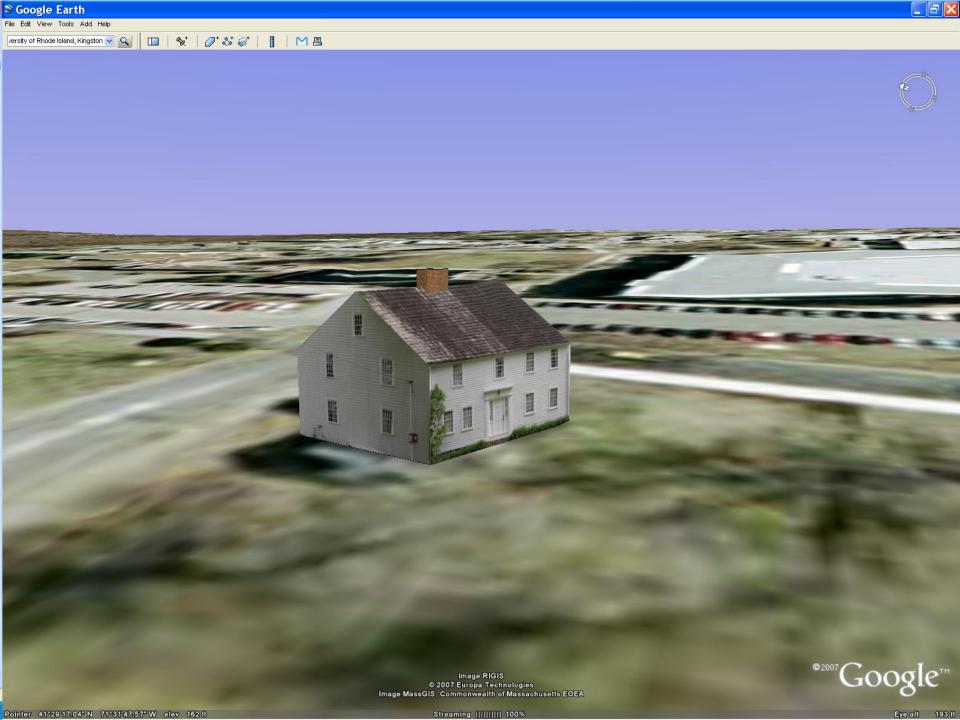


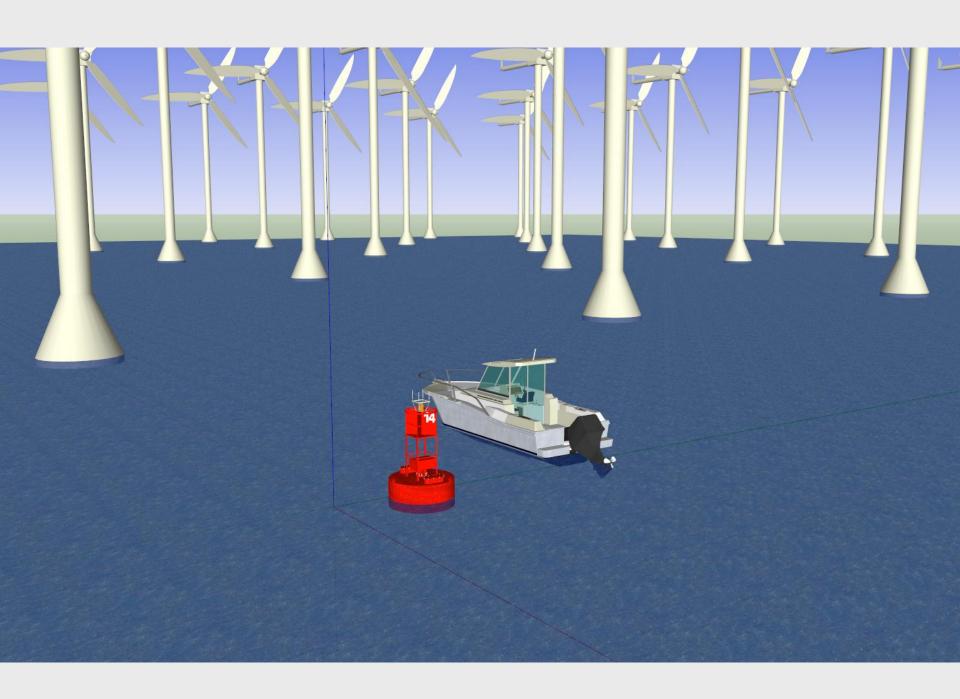


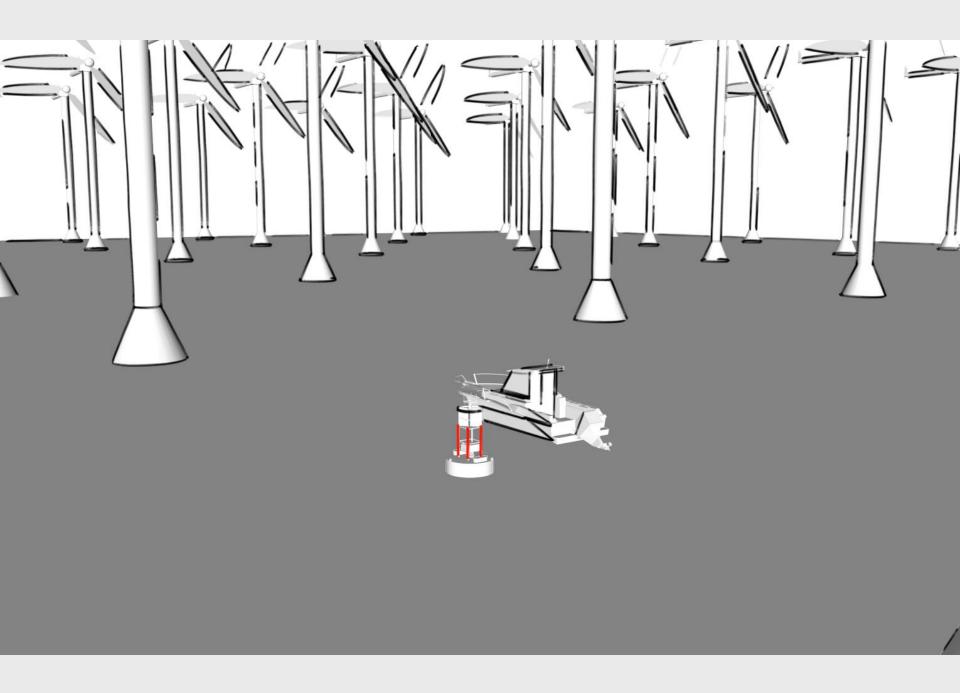








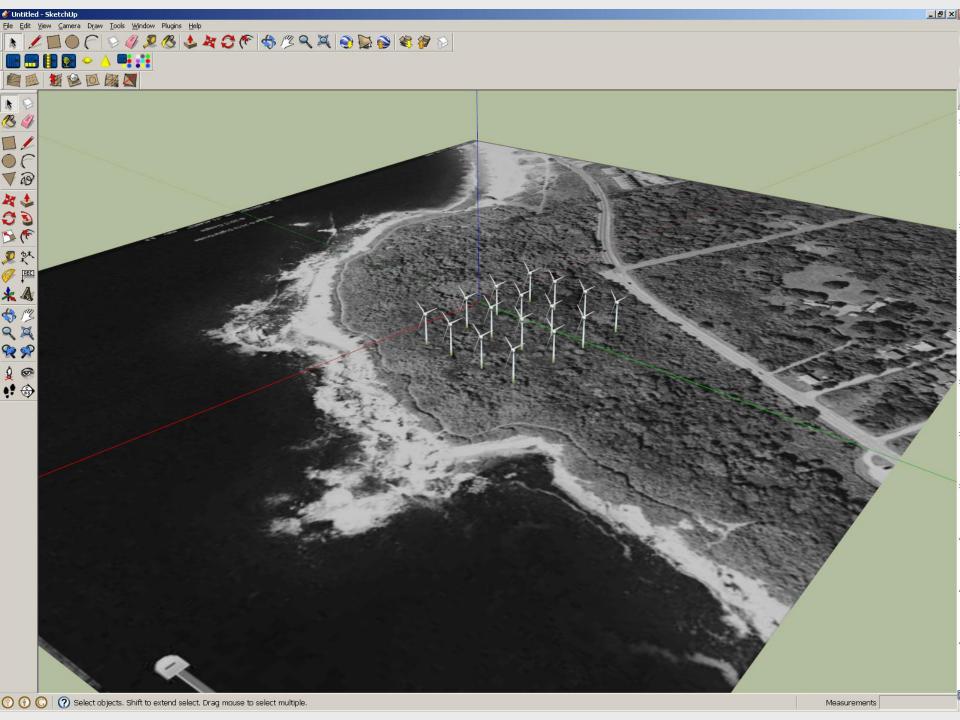














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